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SUBJ: TENNECO FIVE

REF: ASMARA 0219

1. PURSUANT REPORT FROM NEWSPAPERMAN IN ASMARA THAT AN
ELEMENT OF SECOND DIVISION MIGHT BE SETTING OUT TO PURSUE ELF
CAPTORS OF THE TENNECO FIVE, I CONTACTED GENERAL HAILE, VICE
CHIEF OF STAFF, AT MOD THIS MORNIG. HE PROMISED TO CONTACT
SECOND DIVISION AND MAKE SURE THAT NO SUCH ATTEMPT IS MADE.

2. I ALSO INFORMED CANADIAN AMBASSADOR REYNOLDS OF
THIS REPORT. HE SAID HE WOULD TELEPHONE GENERAL HAILE
TO REINFORCE MY REQUEST. AMBASSADOR RESNOLDS HAD JUST
RETURNED FROM A DISCUSSION OF TENNECO PROBLEM WIH
ATO TSEGAYE, ASSISTANT MINISTER OF INTERIOR. TSEGAYE
HAD SAID HE WOULD TELEPHONE ERITREAN GOVERNOR GENERAL
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TO EMPHASIZE IMPORTANCE OF NOT PURSUINR THE ELF

CAPTORS.

3. I HAVE ALSO INFORMED ROBERT BOGAN, PRINCIPAL
TENNECO REPRESENTATIVE HERE, OF THIS REPORT AND MY
CONVERSATION WITH GENERAL HAILE.
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